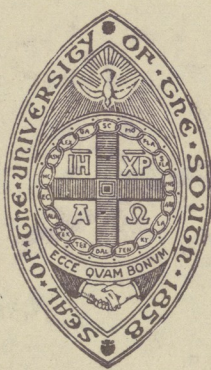


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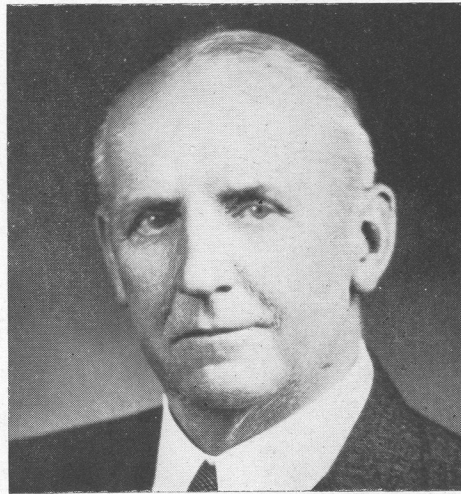
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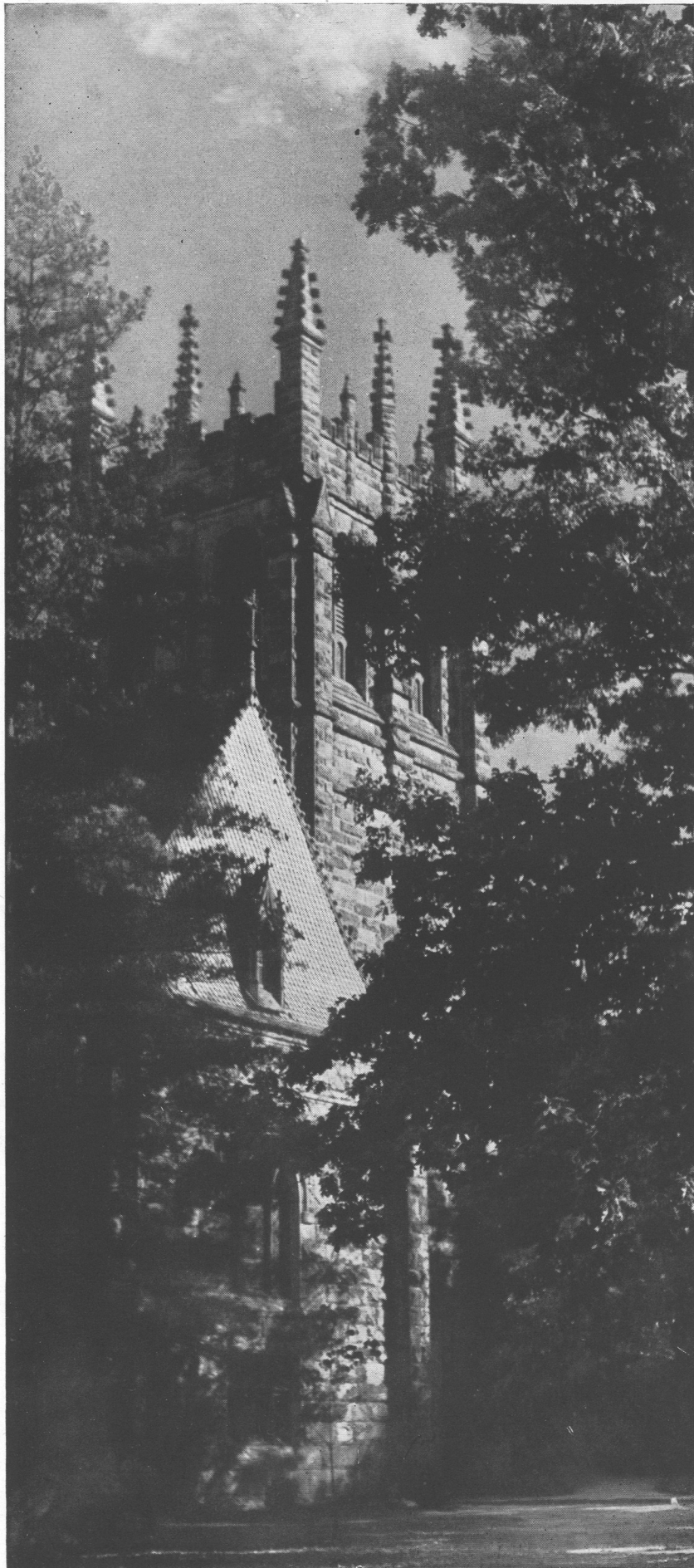
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TO GENERAL JAMES POSTELL JERVEY
WHO, BEING A SEWANEE GENTLEMAN,
IS A LIVING TESTAMENT TO THE HIGH
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FORE US SEWANEE MEN,

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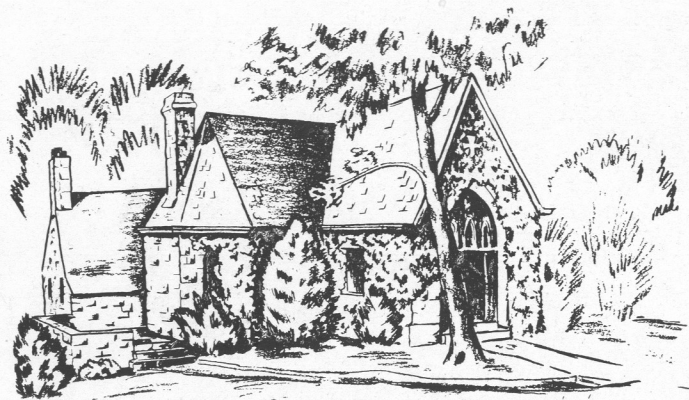
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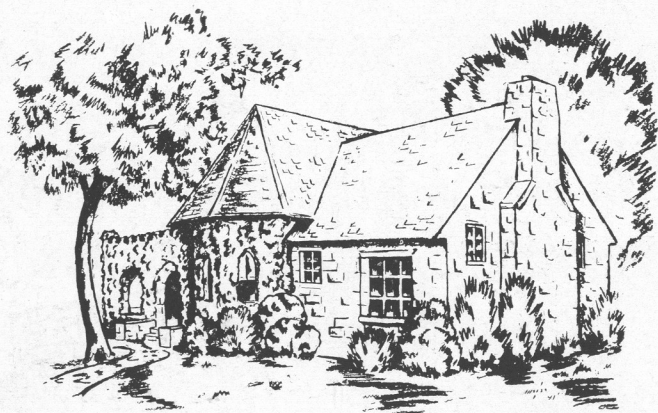


THE Senior Class of 1943 is the last regularly graduating class for the duration of the war. One-third of the graduates were awarded their degrees in February, in order that they might leave for immediate military service. Of those who remained, many were called to service before June. Before the summer is over, practically the entire class will be serving in our armed forces.

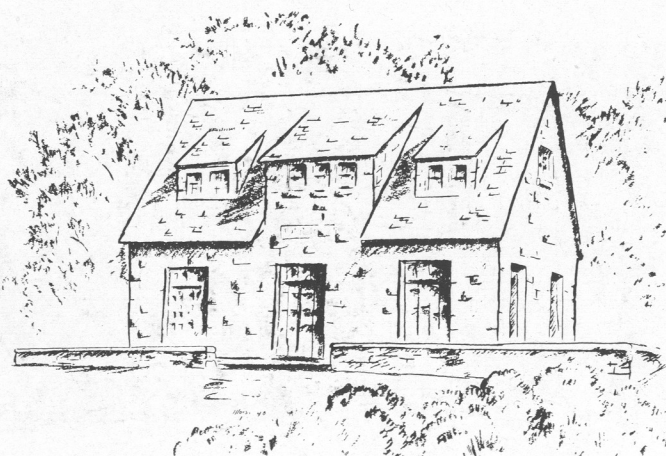
Theirs is a grave responsibility. But theirs is also a great heritage. For during their four years at Sewanee, theirs has been *a complete and generous education, that which fits a man to perform justly, skilfully, and magnanimously all the offices, both private and public, of peace and war.*



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K Σ

Sopherim; Purple Masque, President, '43; Student Fire Chief; P.octor; Order of Gownsmen; Fraternity Officer; Pan-Hellenic Council; Freshman Basketball; Intramural Athletics; Waiters' Union; Acolyte Guild; Student Sacristan; Choir; German Club.

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Order of Gownsmen.

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Blue Key; Secretary, Order of Gownsmen; Scholarship Society; Debate Council; Lyman Medal for Declamation, '42; Freshman Tennis; Student Vestry.

William B. Rogers Beasley

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William Armistead Boardman

B.A. in English (February)
306 East Fourth St., Rome, Ga.
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Order of Gownsmen; Intramural Athletics; St. Vincent's Acolyte Guild; Choir, Scoutmaster, St. Andrew's Troop; Assistant Scoutmaster, Swanee Troop.

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Discipline Committee; Fraternity Officer; Freshman Football; Varsity Football; "S" Club; Intramural Athletics; Cap and Gown Staff; Purple Staff; German Club.

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Fraternity Officer; Intramural Athletics; German Club; Grits and Gravy Club.

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Claude Cunningham, II

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Sopherim; Purple Masque; Purple Staff; Choir; German Club.

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B.A. in Spanish (June)
Springfield, Tenn.
Φ Γ Δ

Blue Key; Order of Gownsmen; Pan-Hellenic Council; Intramural Council; Freshman Basketball; Varsity Basketball; Freshman Football; Varsity Track; Varsity Tennis; "S" Club; Purple Staff.

Robert Winchester Emerson

B.A. in English (June)
558 East Main St., Gulfport, Miss.
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Order of Gownsmen; Purple Masque; Winner, Lyman Medal for Declamation, '41; Freshman Purple Staff; Purple Staff; Intramural Athletics; Choir; Acolyte Guild; German Club.

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1814 Allison Place, Nashville, Tenn.
Φ Γ Δ

Order of Gownsmen; Intramural Council; Varsity Football, Co-Captain, '42; Varsity Basketball; Intramural Athletics; "S" Club; Spanish Club; German Club.

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802 Trabue St., Shreveport, La.
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O.D.K.; Blue Key; Order of Gownsmen; Scholarship Society; President, Fraternity; President, Honor Council, '42; Pan-Hellenic Council; Handball Champion, '42; Tennis Manager; "S" Club; President, German Club.

John Stanley Gresley

B.A. in English (June)
Lake Lure Inn, Lake Lure, N. C.
A T Ω

Order of Gownsmen; Fraternity Officer; Choir; Acolyte Guild; German Club.

Stanley Fillmore Hauser

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Phi Beta Kappa; Sopherim; Order of Gownsmen; Scholarship Society; Sophomore Scholarship, '40-'41; Junior Scholarship, '41-'42; O'Connor Scholarship, '42-'43; Treasurer, Student Vestry, '40-'41; *Freshman Purple Staff*; *Purple Staff*; *Purple Masque*; German Club.

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Freshman Football; Choir.

David Armistead Lockhart

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Beaufort, S. C.
 $\Phi \Delta \Theta$

Blue Key; Order of Gownsmen; Scholarship Society; Discipline Committee; Honor Council; Basketball Manager, '39-'41; Track; Football; "S" Club; Intramural Athletics; *Cap and Gown Staff*; Fraternity Officer; German Club.

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Order of Gownsmen.

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Order of Gownsmen; Acolyte Guild.

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New Smyrna Beach, Fla.
 ΣN

Order of Gownsmen; Pan-Hellenic Council; Debate Council; Purple Masque; Fraternity Officer; Student Vestry; Intramural Council; Acolyte Guild; Instructor, Public Speaking; German Club.

William Sidney Moise

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Blue Key; Chairman, Discipline Committee; Order of Gownsmen; President, O.D.K.; Scholarship Society; Pan-Hellenic Council; Editor, *Freshman Purple*; Editor, *Purple*, '42-'43; *Cap and Gown Staff*; Purple Masque; President, Fraternity; Acolyte Guild; Intramural Athletics; Waiters' Union; German Club.

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905 35th St., West Palm Beach, Fla.
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Order of Gownsmen; Fraternity Officer; Intramural Athletics; Acolyte Guild; Softball All Stars, '42; Choir; Track Manager; German Club.

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1329 Obispo Ave., Coral Gables, Fla.
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Order of Gownsmen; Scholarship Society; President, Fraternity; *Purple Staff*; Pan-Hellenic Council; Intramural Athletics; Debate Society; Discipline Committee; Choir.

Harvey Ernest Ragland, Jr.

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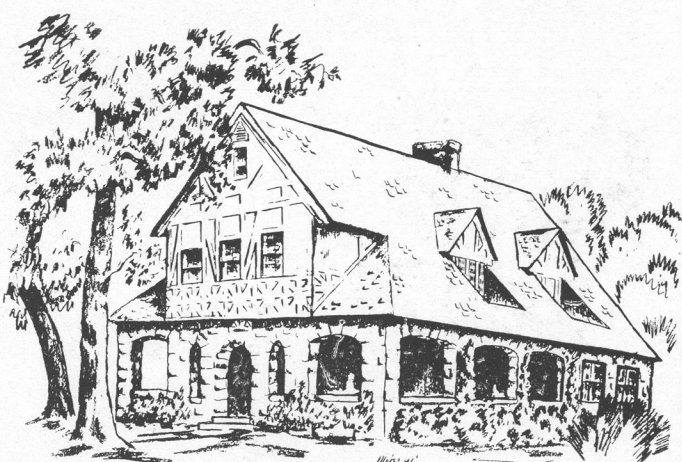
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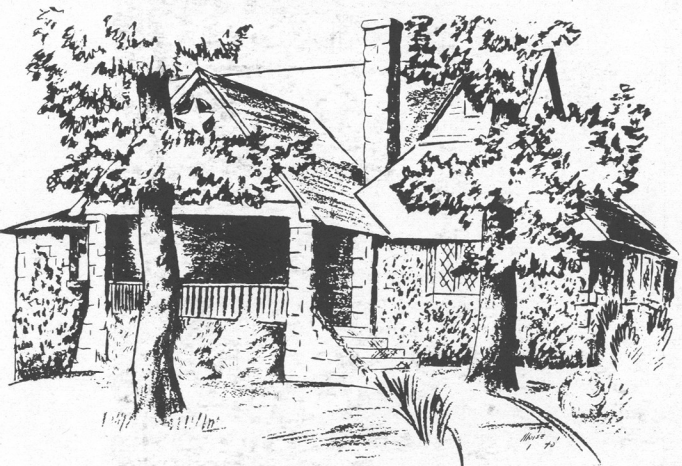
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J. D. Solomon

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Order of Gownsmen.

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Φ Γ Δ
Order of Gownsmen; Fraternity Officer; Executive Secretary, Gamma Sigma Corporation; *Purple* Staff; Debate Council; Waiters' Union; Freshman Basketball; Intramural Athletics.

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B.S. in Biology (June)
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A T Ω
O.D.K.; Sophomore; President, Blue Key; Order of Gownsmen; President Pan-Hellenic Council; Proctor; Head Proctor, '42-'43; President, Fraternity; President, Intramural Council; Senior Warden, Student Vestry; Varsity Cheer Leader; Intramural Athletics; Waiters' Union; German Club.

Frank Marion Walker

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1429 Tenth Place, S., Birmingham, Ala.
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John Townsend Wetzel

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1328 East Delmar, Springfield, Mo.
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O.D.K.; Blue Key; Order of Gownsmen; Proctor; Intramural Council; Pan-Hellenic Council; President, Fraternity; Varsity Basketball; Varsity Golf; Varsity Football; "S" Club; Intramural Athletics; German Club.

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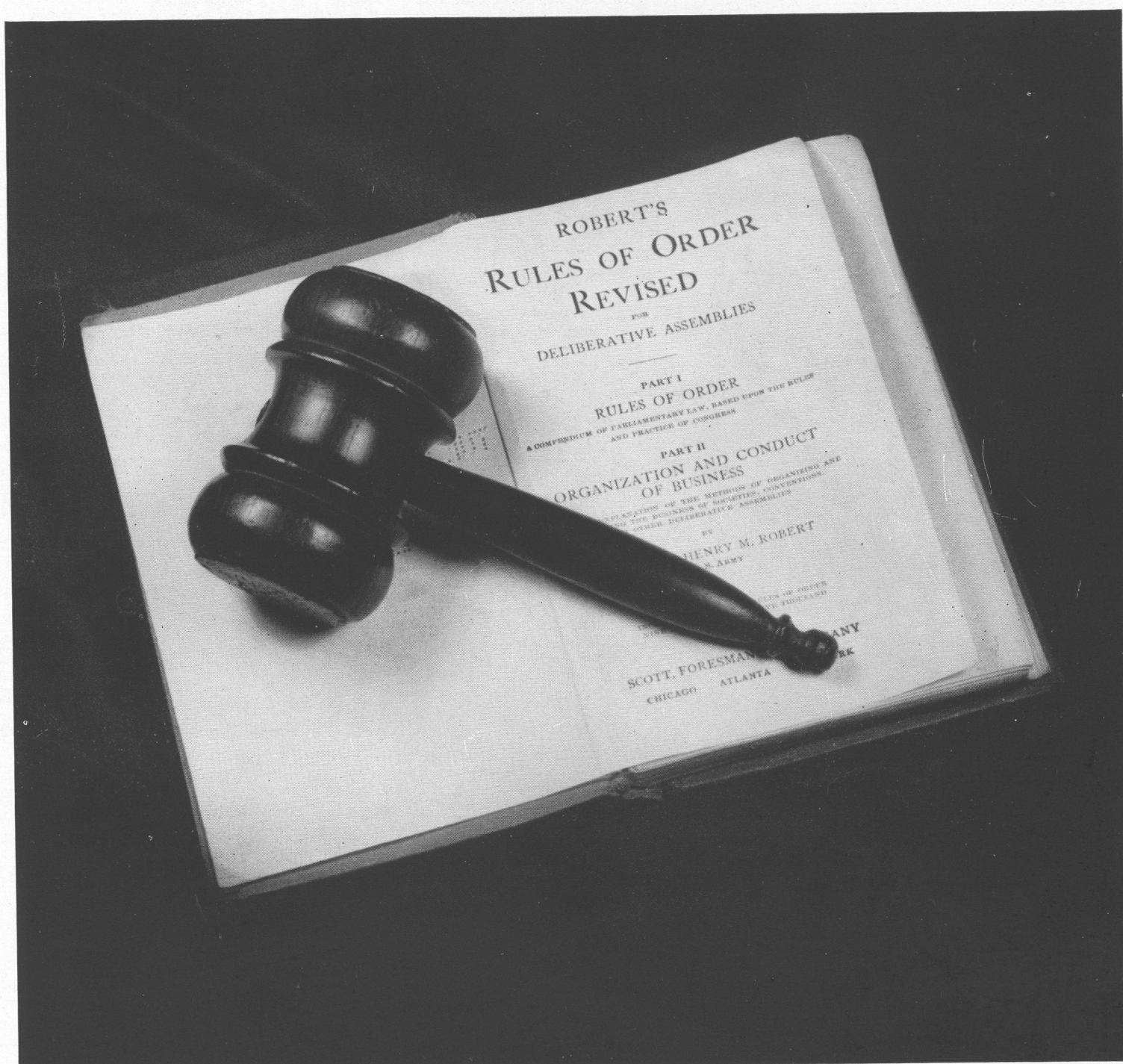
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Order of Gownsmen; Acolyte Guild; Intramural Athletics; Waiters' Union; *Cap and Gown* Staff.

Herbert Eugene Winn

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Order of Gownsmen; Intramural Athletics; Declamation contestant.

John Henry Yochem

B.A. in Economics (February)
Blanco Road, Route 2, San Antonio, Texas
Φ Δ Θ
Vice-President, Phi Beta Kappa; President, O.D.K.; President, Blue Key; Editor, *Cap and Gown*, '42; "S" Club; Scholarship Society; President, Fraternity; Varsity Basketball; Intramural Athletics; Order of Gownsmen; German Club.



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THE FRATERNITY AT SEWANEE

ONE of the most important idiosyncrasies of student life at Sewanee is the unique role played by the fraternities. Unlike those at other colleges, Sewanee fraternities do not entirely dominate the social life of the students. This is partially explained by the fact that the students live together in dormitories composed of heterogeneous groups rather than in isolated fraternity-house groups. But the real explanation is that Sewanee itself is a fraternity. Though this be heresy from the narrow standpoint of the national fraternity enthusiast, it is nevertheless true that the bond uniting Sewanee men together is far stronger and more enduring than any fraternity tie. On the Mountain, one is first a Sewanee Man, then a Fraternity man; and thus it remains forever.

While the fraternities cannot be said to dominate undergraduate life at Sewanee, they nevertheless perform an exceedingly important function. Over ninety percent of the student body regularly belongs to the eight national fraternities on the Mountain: a unique situation in itself. The quota system, introduced into the rushing procedure for the first time this year, helped reorganize the fraternities into more numerically equal groups. Since Sewanee has withdrawn from most intercollegiate athletics for the duration, the fraternities offered a convenient and ready-made division of the student body into athletic teams, and intramural athletics played the largest role in Sewanee's sports program this year.

The Pan-Hellenic Council has worked under extraordinarily heavy responsibilities this year. Aside from its usual task of regulating all interfraternity relations, establishing the quota system during rush week, and giving a dance during the spring, the Council has decided to declare all fraternities dormant for the duration. This was not an easy decision to make, nor were the attendant problems easy to solve. Working with Dr. Guerry and several faculty advisers, the Council has settled upon a plan whereby the fraternity houses will be rented by the University until the war is over. The University will assume responsibility for maintenance and improvements, and expects to use the houses as clubhouses for the Naval Cadets.

Thus, as a long chapter in the career of the University is closed, so does this phase of the lives of Sewanee's fraternities come to an end. When the decision was made, however, the Council did not choose the word "dormant" lightly. For it is a certainty that Sewanee fraternities will revive most naturally and most happily in the spring of peace. They will reassume their position as one of the vital spokes in the wheel of Sewanee life. They will achieve their new worth in terms of their tradition of dignity, beauty, and integrity with Sewanee's ideals. They will again share their portion of the highest task, the task of building Sewanee Men.

PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL

James Vardell, *President*
Harry Hewson
Jack Wetzel
John Yochem
Grenville Seibels
Frank Walker

William Quesenberry
George Eckles
David Collins
Jack Allin
Morse Kochtitzky

Joe Fuller
Billy Nicholson
Howard Green
Robert Vreeland
John Fears

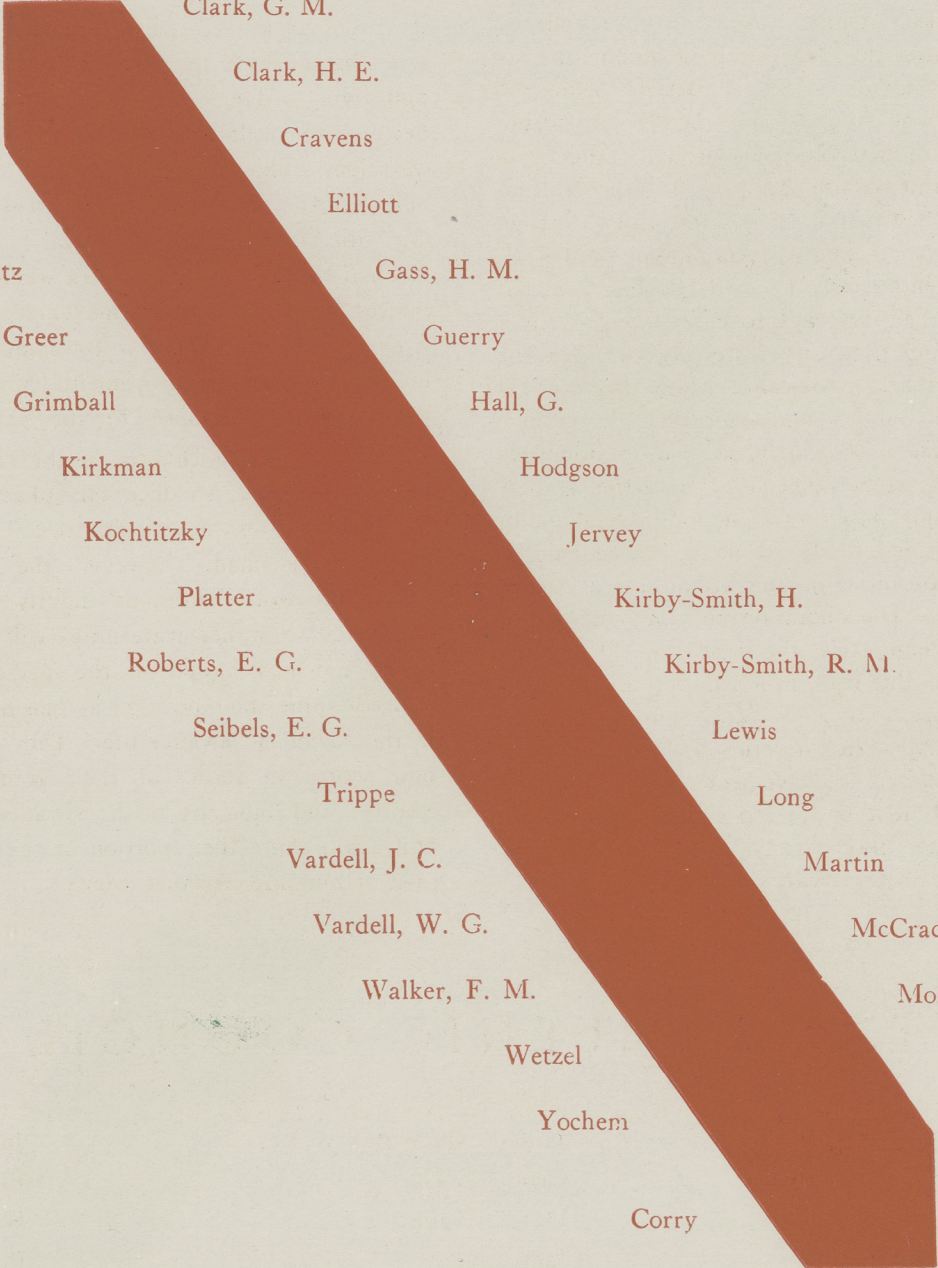
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RED RIBBON SOCIETY



Clark, G. M.
Clark, H. E.
Cravens
Elliott
Gass, J.
Goelitz
Greer
Grimball
Kirkman
Kochtitzky
Platter
Roberts, E. G.
Seibels, E. G.
Trippe
Vardell, J. C.
Vardell, W. G.
Walker, F. M.
Wetzel
Yochem
Corry
Mann
Gass, H. M.
Guerry
Hall, G.
Hodgson
Jervy
Kirby-Smith, H.
Kirby-Smith, R. M.
Lewis
Long
Martin
McCrary
Morris
Myers, G. B.

GREEN RIBBON SOCIETY



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ORDER OF GOWNSMEN

One of the most unusual and colorful of Sewanee's traditions is the wearing of the academic gown by the Faculty, and by those undergraduates who have attained Junior and Senior rating. Even the most casual visitor to Sewanee's campus carries away with him the quaint but appealing picture of young men debonairly strolling beneath the trees, their natural poise accentuated by the black gowns hanging gracefully from their shoulders.

But the gown is not characteristic of Sewanee as an ornament alone; it is the symbol of the freedom and responsibilities which the Sewanee undergraduates have earned for themselves. The Order of Gownsmen is the governing body of the students, and in co-operation with official authorities, plays a major role in the shaping and guiding of all undergraduate activities. To the Order is entrusted the responsibility of preserving the traditions of the University, and its highest function lies in maintaining and improving the intellectual and moral standards of the student body.

The officers of the Order for the first semester were: Henry Seaman, President; Rogers Beasley, Vice-President; Billy Beach, Secretary. For the second semester: Rogers Beasley, President; Jack Allin, Vice-President; Bill Moise, Secretary.



PROCTORS

One of the highest honors the University can bestow upon an undergraduate is to appoint him a Proctor. The Proctor's responsibilities include maintaining order and enforcing discipline in his dormitory (a job as difficult as it sounds); checking chapel attendance; and assisting in the solution of all problems relating to student discipline. Proctors are chosen by the administration upon the recommendation of retiring Proctors. Only men who are known to be extraordinarily competent are selected, for a Proctor must have the respect of the students. James Vardell, of Johnson Hall, was Head Proctor this year. The other Proctors were: Jack Wetzel, Billy Nicholson, Morse Kochtitzky, Jack Allin, Winston Cameron, Frank Walker, Critchell Judd, and Dick Corry.



HONOR COUNCIL

It is not inconsistent with any of Sewanee's high traditions that student life, both academic and personal, is governed and based on the principle of the Honor Code. When each student enters the University he pledges himself to support and jealously to guard the traditional Honor System. Because he finds the

system quietly but firmly accepted by all of his fellow students, there is rarely any temptation to question it, or to try to evade its demands. However, to insure the respect for the Honor System which it intrinsically deserves, and in order actively to cherish its teachings, the student body elects each year a handful of representatives whose privilege it is to see that the Code is never forgotten.

This year Frank Greer served as President of the Council during the first semester, and Robert Vreeland was elected to succeed him during the second semester. Among those who served as members of the Council were: Harry Hewson, John Ball, George Cracraft, Macon Kirkman, and Bob Thweatt.



PHI BETA KAPPA

Election to Phi Beta Kappa is universally considered the highest honor obtainable by an American college student. The oldest college fraternity in the United States, Phi Beta Kappa was founded at William and Mary, December 5, 1776. The society was similar in organization to modern Greek-letter fraternities until 1826, when it became non-secret and purely honorary.

Members of Faculty and Administration belonging to the fraternity are: Professor Kayden, President; Dean Baker, Secretary-Treasurer; and Vice-Chancellor Guerry, Dr. Finney, Dr. Ware, Major MacKellar, Major Gass, Dr. Petry, Dr. Yerkes, Dean James, Rev. George Hall, Dr. Bruton, Professor Thorogood, and Professor Jones.

Student members are: Yochem, Vice-President; Burns, Stockell, Collins, Knickerbocker, Seaman, Hewson, Gus Baker, and Grenville Seibels.



OMICRON DELTA KAPPA

OMICRON DELTA KAPPA's membership is composed of men whose extra-curricular activity and campus leadership has distinguished them as undergraduates of exceptional abilities and achievements. Election to this fraternity is a recognition of extra-curricular achievements comparable in distinction to Phi Beta Kappa's testimony of extraordinary scholastic merit.

This year Alpha Alpha Circle of O.D.K. was composed of: John Yochem, President during the first semester; William Moise, President during the second semester; James Vardell, Jack Wetzel, Frank Walker, Frank Greer, Graham Roberts, David Collins, and Harry Hewson. Faculty members are: Vice-Chancellor Guerry, Dean Baker, Major Henry Gass, Professor R. B. Davis, and Professor T. S. Long, Secretary-Treasurer.

BLUE KEY

BLUE KEY is at the same time a national honorary fraternity and a service organization. Its members are chosen on the basis of their ability, both demonstrated and potential, to serve Sewanee. Blue Key's activities this year included a Red Cross drive among the students during the early spring; promotion of the sale of War Stamps in the Sandwich Shop; management of University Blackout precautions; and sponsoring the annual Interfraternity Sing.

The members were: John Yochem, President for the first semester; James Vardell, President for the second semester; Frank Greer, Frank Walker, Jack Wetzel, Graham Roberts, David Collins, Grenville Seibels, William Moise, Rogers Beasley, Harry Hewson, Charles Knickerbocker, William Beach, Winston Cameron, and Trapier Jervey. Dr. Scott served as Faculty Adviser.



SCHOLARSHIP SOCIETY

Founded in 1922 by the members of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi, then resident on the Mountain, the Scholarship Society strives to further intellectual pursuits and the ideals of philosophy as embodied in its motto, "Adspira." Those eligible for election to membership are Gownsmen who have maintained a scholastic average of eighty-five for four consecutive semesters. Annually the Society holds an open meeting at which a guest speaker addresses the members. After each semester a cup is presented by the Society to the fraternity with the highest scholastic average.

This year Trapier Jervey served as President; Macon Kirkman as Vice-President; and Dean Baker as Secretary-Treasurer. Undergraduate members numbered thirty-seven.



STUDENT VESTRY

Highlight of the Student Vestry's activities this year was their annual Christmas Candle-Light Service held for the benefit of the needy on the Thursday before Christmas. The Vestry bought additional vestments for All Saints' and St. Luke's chapels. Two hundred and fifty Hymnals and Prayer Books were purchased. In addition, the Vestry bought all the music used by the Choir and contributed to the organist's salary. James Vardell was Senior Warden; other members were Beach, Turner, Henry Prior, Grimball, Shannon, MacGowan, McNagney, and Moultrie McIntosh.

GERMAN CLUB

THE GERMAN CLUB puts on the majority of Sewanee's dances. The Club is composed of members of the student body who purchase German Club tickets at the beginning of the year. With the money obtained by the sale of these membership tickets the German Club officers are able to make preliminary guarantees for orchestra engagements; the number of tickets sold is an index to probable dance attendance throughout the year, and thereby furnishes useful information. Although it has been the popular policy of the German Club to engage name bands for the larger sets of dances, this year it was decided to put on all dances at as low a cost as possible. The music was nevertheless first rate, and the officers of the Club are to be congratulated for having given some topnotch dances. In addition to the usual Thanksgiving, Midwinter, and Commencement sets, the German Club also gave a one-night stand in October, and another in April. During the first semester Frank Greer was President; Billy Nicholson was Treasurer; and Wallace Westfeldt was Secretary. During the second semester Westfeldt served as President; John Ball as Treasurer, and Bob Thweatt as Secretary.



SOPHERIM

SOPHERIM is the mother chapter of Sigma Upsilon, the national literary fraternity. This year Sewanee's undergraduate literary society held a number of informal meetings, during which members submitted original short stories, poems, and other literary work. The *Sopherim Magazine* is being published in June, and contains the best work of each member. Gren Seibels was President of the society this year, and George Scarbrough was Secretary and Treasurer. In a contest held at the close of the year, George Scarbrough was awarded first prize for poetry, and John Worrell won highest honors among the prose contestants.



PI GAMMA MU

PI GAMMA MU is a national social science fraternity which was founded in 1924. Membership is limited to Juniors, Seniors, and Faculty members, and election is on the basis of high achievement in the field of social science.

Messrs. Kayden and Thorogood are Faculty members. Student membership included: Mercer Stockell, President; E. G. Roberts, F. M. Walker, Collins, Hulbert, and Jervey.

DEBATE COUNCIL

THE DEBATE COUNCIL was supervised this year by James McKeown, with the assistance of Major W. H. MacKellar. Members of the Council were: Seaman, Fort, Cate, Ash, Adler, Vanzant, and Edmondson. There were several meetings throughout the year, during which practice debates were held. This year's team debated twice with the Georgia Tech debate team, taking the affirmative at Sewanee and the negative in Atlanta. The question debated was: "Resolved, that the United Nations should establish a permanent Federal Union to tax and regulate international commerce, to maintain a police force, to settle international disputes, and to enforce such settlements and to provide for the admission of other nations which accept the principles of the Union." These debates were non-decision.



ACOLYTE GUILD

The ultimate purpose of the Acolyte Guild is to add dignity and beauty to chapel services. As in former years, the Guild has continued admirably in this function. Furthermore, the Guild has held regular meetings at the Chaplain's house, where they heard guest speakers and held informal discussions. The Guild conducted a highly successful drive for money with which they established a Milk Fund for the school for colored children in nearby Happy Hollow. The Guild also purchased an altar service book.

Charles Blakeslee was President of the Guild; Judson Child was Secretary-Treasurer. There were sixty-five members this year—the largest membership in the history of the Guild.



UNIVERSITY CHOIR

THE UNIVERSITY CHOIR has for years almost been taken for granted as an integral part of Sewanee's chapel services. This year's Choir has carried on the tradition of precise and beautiful singing under every kind of difficulty. With members of the Choir leaving every month for the Armed Forces, Director Paul S. McConnell has nevertheless furnished an effective musical complement to the daily and Sunday religious services at All Saints' Chapel. For Christmas and Easter, particularly beautiful programs were offered by the Choir. Mr. McConnell's organization merits special recognition for its service under trying conditions.

PUBLICATIONS

THE SEWANEE PURPLE, official organ of the students of the University of the South, has a large circulation among residents of Sewanee, alumni, and families of students, as well as among the students themselves.

This year's PURPLE has been the blithe center of smoldering and occasionally blazing controversy, and has called forth from its readers unprecedented quantities of alternating praise and criticism. Whatever its failings and successes, the paper has consistently shown a healthy interest in student opinion on every question of interest.

Bill Moise was Editor of the '42-'43 PURPLE. Paul Hawkins was Managing Editor, and David Collins served as Business Manager. On the editorial staff were Henry Havens, William Bayle, Jim Ross, and Jack Baird. Strainge, Barclay, Young, Blakeslee, Bardin, and Baird were proofreaders. Jim Paul was Circulation Manager; he was assisted by Karsten, Burk, Elmore, Ferguson, Weymouth, Sanford, and Rust. Gren Seibels, Charles Knickerbocker, Burr Reeb, Kurt Adler, Bland Mitchell, David Collins, and Bill Donoho contributed various types of columns to the paper.

For purposes of economy the Publications Board decided to suspend publication of *The Cap and Gown* for the duration. At a later Board meeting, however, it was decided that a brief Year Book should be published with *Purple* funds. Thus did THE CAP AND GOWN ISSUE OF THE SEWANEE PURPLE come into being. Not so easily has it come to completion. With a financial allotment which barely permitted printing and distribution of this thin booklet, the Year Book staff has been forced to rely upon second- and third-hand cuts for decoration, as well as upon second- and third-hand sources for much of its information, because of the erratic and premature departure of many undergraduates.

Gren Seibels was Editor of the Year Book, with David Lynch and Kenneth MacGowan assisting him as Associate Editors. If the book is found more complete than attractive, the staff will feel that it has done as good a job as its circumstances and limitations permitted.

The basic policies of all undergraduate publications have hitherto been left in the hands of the student body, which expressed its desires through the Publications Board. The student body recently decided, however, that because of the extraordinary changes the University is to undergo in the near future, all decisions relating to undergraduate publications would henceforth be left in the hands of a committee to be composed of the Faculty members of the Publications Board, the Dean and the Vice-Chancellor. This delegation of authority is to remain in effect for the duration of the war. Faculty members of the Board are Professors Thorogood, Chairman, Long, and McCrady. Undergraduate members who have served during the past year are Goad, Platter, Moise, Collins, and Seibels.



A T H L E T I C S

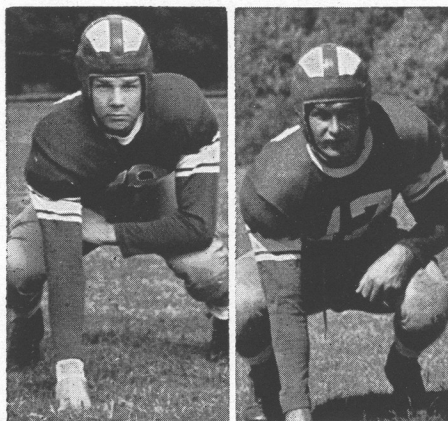
F O O T B A L L

FOOTBALL, the game that has for many years placed Sewanee high in the praise of sports fans, *wasn't* shelved for the duration. Of course intercollegiate ball was abandoned last spring, and with that announcement, for many all hope of ever seeing another Tiger team battle on the gridiron was gone. All that they had was a memory of other falls when the shout

"YEA, SEWANEE'S RIGHT!" was the battle cry leading courageous Tigers to other schools to face what appeared at times to be unsurmountable odds. Yet every Saturday afternoon, when the referee blew his whistle, Sewanee fans as well as those of the opposing team were aware of the meaning of the term, Sewanee Spirit.

In order to make the new men forever mindful of one phase of the Sewanee Spirit, Coach "Nig" Clark, now a lieutenant (j.g.) U.S.N., and "Parson" George Hall made up their minds that there would be football at Sewanee another year. So, with a handful of last year's lettermen, they called for recruits to fill in the ranks. This call to "knock heads" was answered by fifty boys of all sizes and shapes, but they had in common a firm desire to play the game of football for the fun of it.

Soon after practices began the squad was divided into two teams: the "Sewanees" and the "Hardees." The names of the two teams go back to the days when emphasis was on baseball at Sewanee and teams bearing these names each had their following among the people of the Mountain.



ROBERTS

WALKER

The Sewanees were led by Frank Walker, All-American Honorable Mention in 1941, who is now in the Army. A mainstay in the line was Hamlin Caldwell, who was also playing his fourth year of Sewanee football. Ham was called by the Army Reserve in March. Then there was Billy Nicholson, who did a lot of passing and receiving when his team took to the air. Right after the season was over he again took to the air; this time with the Naval Air Corps. There was Mercer Stockell, who wanted to get in shape for his training with the Marine Corps. Some other Sewanees who have answered the call to the colors are: Bob Love, Bob Vreeland, Tom Frith, George Gillespie, Ed Converse, Tom Callahan, and Cecil Sims.

Those Sewanees who are still fighting the Battle of Sewanee are: Jack Wetzell, Doonie Walker, George Clark, Sperry Lee, Elkton Pitts, Sidney Stubbs, John Gass, Van Davis, Jimmy Roberts, and Bill Ferguson.

The Hardee squad was coached

by Parson Hall and captained by Graham "Grumpy" Roberts and Mel Goad. The captains (and Caldwell) were the only four-year men on the Hardee team, but Ken Prindle and Orland Smitherman each had three years' previous training. The Army has now taken its toll of the Hardee team by calling Tom "T" Ford, Graham Roberts, Wallace "Boot" Wilson, Jim Wann, Paul Hawkins, Sike Williams, and Buddy Thach. Those now wearing Navy whites are: Frank "Pinky" Greer, Jack Smith, Henry Seaman, and David Lockhart. To the Marines went Otto Hill and Phil McNaghy.

The Hardees still fighting the battle of "the Towered City" are: Bob Thweatt, Ken Prindle, Orland Smitherman, Mel Goad, Hunley "Honey" Elebash, David Lynch, and Ed Bennett.

During the season the Sewanees defeated the Hardees by a score of 6-0. The score came in the last quarter on a pass from Walker to Nicholson. The return engagement ended in a deadlock, 0-0.

The last game of the season found the combined squads defeating the "B" team from Georgia Tech, 7-0.

Football was a success this year at Sewanee because the boys who wanted to play for the love of the game got their money's worth. Those who wanted physical conditioning before joining the armed forces were satisfied. For this they are all grateful to Coach "Nig" Clark and Parson Hall for devoting their time to coaching the "odds 'n' ends."



T R A C K

SEWANEE'S 1943 Track Team, State Champions, enjoyed one of the most successful seasons in the history of the school. They only lost one meet, a triangle affair with Alabama and Tulane. The thinly clad cinder chasers triumphed over Baylor, twice over Tennessee Tech, and then won the state meet.

Critch Judd—captain—was State Champion in high and low hurdles. Critch was high-point man in six consecutive meets. Hunley Elebash, who won the 100-yard and 220-yard dashes in the state meet, also ran anchor man on the mile relay team. Hunley was undefeated this season in the dashes.

Kenneth MacGowan was State Champion miler and two-miler. As usual, he was one of the mainstays of Sewanee's team. Joe Calder was State Champion broad jumper and number one on the relay team. Orland Smitherman captured the javelin crown. On the State Champion Mile Relay Team: Joe Calder, John Fort, Zach Bair, Hunley Elebash.

Among those who worked hard and well: Harry Goelitz, weight man; Gabe Mead, pole vaulter and high jumper; John Fort, javelin thrower and high jumper.

John Worrell, 880 and mile runner, was one of the team's hardest workers. Jimmy Roberts, two-miler, showed much improvement, as

did hurdler Ed Bennett. Julius Barclay, dash man, pushed Elebash all season.

Half miler Ted Sanford suffered from a fallen arch and was unable to run in the state meet.

Frank Walker, quarter-miler, and weight man Hunter McDonald were doing well in their events when they left school to join the armed forces.

Coach Harris "Scrappy" Moore spent much time and effort on the team and to him goes much of the credit for the success of the team.

Credit also goes to "Torso" John Gass and his two assistant managers, Peon Al Woods and Doonie Walker.

I N T R A M U R A L S

INTRAMURAL Athletics came into their own at Sewanee this year. Aside from the varsity intramural football team (page 14), the entire school was organized into various groups and teams, with ninety-four percent of the student body participating in intramural sports. This percentage will compare favorably, we are sure, with that of any college in the country during the past year. Sewanee cooperated wholeheartedly with the requests of the armed forces that college students be required to un-

dergo more rigorous physical training than previously.

The Intramural Program teams were organized solely on the basis of fraternity groups. The Theologs and the Outlaws were also well represented. Even more spirited a rivalry than usual developed among the competing organizations as the intramural seasons came and went. The S.A.E.-Phi Delta Theta scraps, traditionally the most hotly contested on the Mountain, exceeded their reputations. For the fourth consecutive year, the S.A.E.'s walked off with

the Intramural Championship Cup; The Phi's were runners-up. In each major sport, with the possible exception of track, there were very close races for first honors. In football, the Phi's and the S.A.E.'s fought bitterly for first place, with the Phi's finally winning out. The basketball race was similar. In track, the S.A.E.'s won handily; but in softball there was a tight race between the Phi Gam's and the A.T.O.'s which was not decided until their game, which the Phi Gam's finally won, to put the softball championship on ice.

L E T T E R M E N

Bair
Barclay
Bennett
Calder
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Elebash

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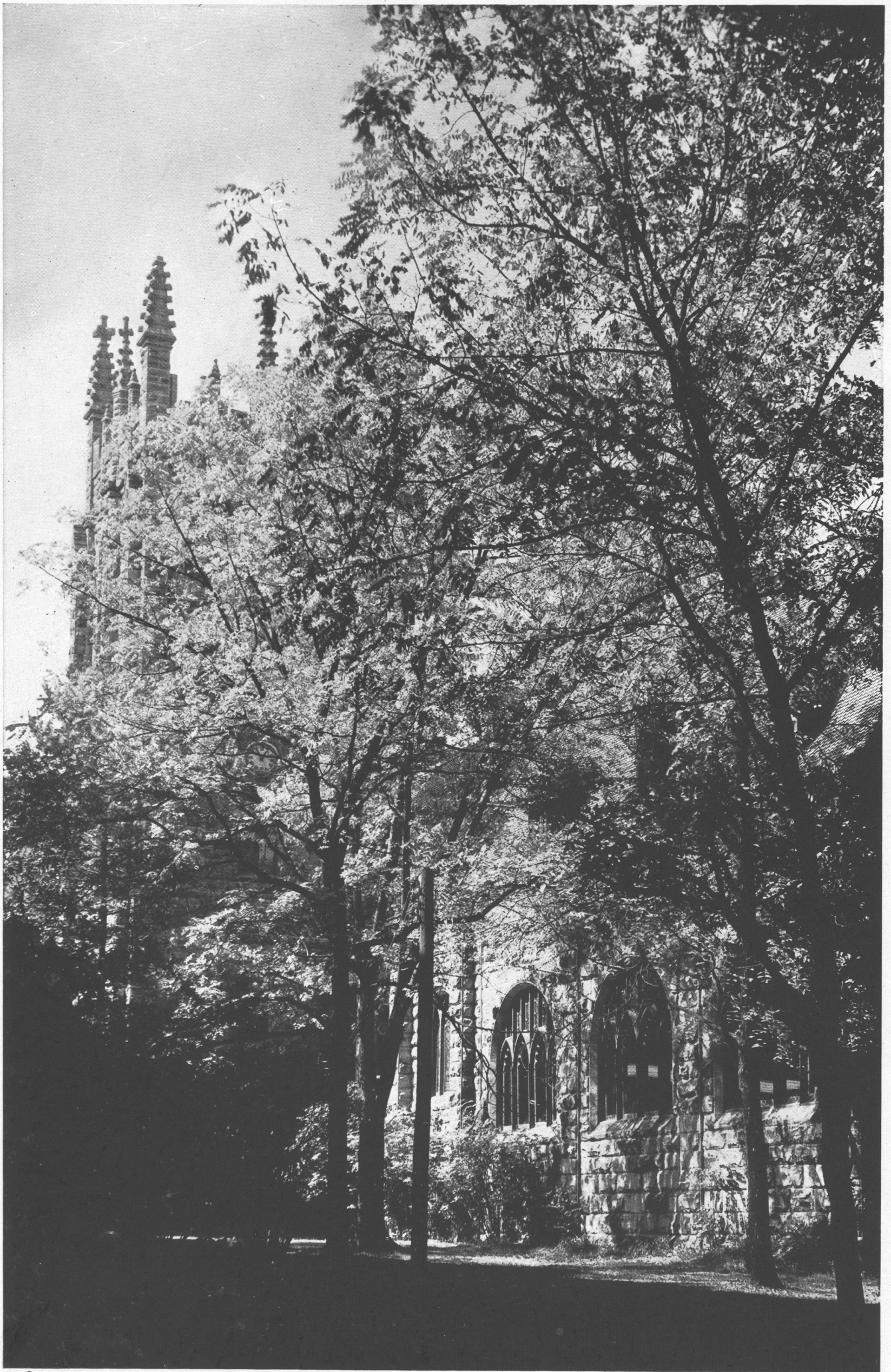
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Johnson, C. E.
Judd
Lee
Lockhart

MacGowan
Mead
O'Donnell
Parker
Prindle

Prior
Roberts, E. G.
Roberts, J. K.
Sanford
Seaman

Smitherman
Vardell, J. C.
Walker, F. M.
Wetzel
Williams, S.

Woods, G. A.
Worrell
Yates
Yochem





Sewanee's Roll of Honor

SINCE May, 1942, these Sewanee men have given their lives in the service of their country.



- LT. LEON LYOD JEFFERIES Class of '42
U. S. Marine Air Corps
- LT. HARVEY HILL LUCE Class of '37
U. S. Naval Air Corps
- PFC. RICHARD FRANKLIN WHITE Class of '40
U. S. Army
- PVT. THOMAS HOWARD WITHEY Class of '42
U. S. Marine Corps
- CAPT. CHARLES RHODES CLOW Class of '29
U. S. Army Air Forces
- LT. CLAYTON E. WHEAT, III Class of '37
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